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Dear Madam:

The indication of allowability of claim 14 is appreciatively acknowledged.

Under the circumstances, withdrawn claims are being incorporated in divisional applications, and all remaining claims other than claim 14 have been cancelled.

Claim 14 has been amended, in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions, to incorporate all of the limitations of base claim 13. Accordingly, claim 14 is believed to be in allowable condition.

In the event that the Examiner considers that any perfunctory defect remains in claim 14, she is requested to make any necessary correction by Examiner's amendment.

As a precaution, a Notice of Appeal has been filed in order to maintain pendency.

Respectfully submitted,

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